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GOLAN et al

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March 24, 2003

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PETITION TO WITHDRAW AS ATTORNEY OF RECORD

The undersigned was advised on October 22, 2000 that further prosecution of this application would be exclusively the responsibility of the following:

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A copy of the facsimile instructions received on October 22, 2000 are attached (see hand-written comments thereon).

The undersigned has subsequently communicated with Mr. Ehrlich calling his attention to subsequent communications from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. However, no further communication has yet been received from Mr. Ehrlich.

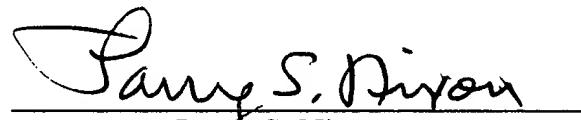
The recently received Notification of Defective Response dated March 27, 2003 has similarly been forwarded to Mr. Ehrlich (copy of my reporting letter is also attached).

Under the circumstances, the undersigned hereby respectfully petitions to withdraw as attorney previously of record and to make it clear that this attorney and this firm has no further responsibility in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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Our Reference: 3886-2 (formerly 2111-4)

(2) *Golan et al USSN 09/055,286*

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Our Reference: 3886-3 (Formerly 2111-5)

(3) *Golan et al USSN 09/463,726*

Jeremy M. Ben-David & Co. Ref. ATC 146/1.3
Our Reference: 3886-4 (formerly 2111-11)

(4) *Golan et al USSN 09/486,748*

Jeremy M. Ben-David & Co. Ref. ATC 146/3.3
Our Reference: 3886-5 (formerly 2111-12)

(5) *Golan et al USSN 09/529,115*

Jeremy M. Ben-David & Co. Ref. ATC 146/4.3
Our Reference: 3886-6 (formerly 2111-14)

Dear Mr. Ehrlich:

We have been notified by Jeremy Ben-David's August 31 letter that you are now responsible for all of the subject applications/patents.

Please confirm that you are responsible for these cases so that we can hereafter look to you for instructions in these matters.

*We will not
forward instruction
since we are assuming
prosecution*

*Yes we are
We already faxed you
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Dear Mr. Ehrlich:

Attached is a copy of a just received "Notification of Defective Response" dated March 17, 2003. It appears that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has not yet changed its record so as to indicate correspondence with you on this matter and not with our firm. Please confirm that you are filing a Revocation of our power of attorney and an appointment of a new power of attorney in your favor as soon as possible.

Also, please note that the attached Notification sets a one month response period thus requiring a formal written response on or before April 17, 2003.

The Notification acknowledges our having filed a "response" on May 4, 2000 but objects because the inventor's declaration accompanying that response did not include the signature of one of the inventors. There is no apparent recognition that this is quite appropriate in view of our concurrently filed Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a) indicating that the second inventor was refusing to sign.

Your hand-written instructions received by facsimile on October 22, 2000 indicate that you are handling prosecution of this matter independently at your end and will not provide any instruction to us and that we have no further responsibility in this matter. It would be greatly appreciated if you would confirm the fact that you have at least received the herewith attached Notification and that you have accepted full responsibility for further compliance and response,

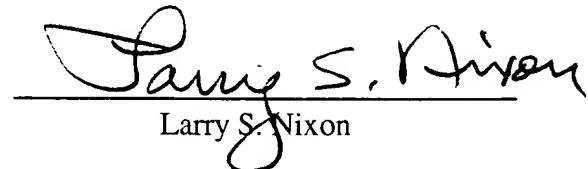
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etc. As noted above, it would also be greatly appreciated if you would confirm that you have a filed a Revocation of our past power of attorney and an appointment of your own in place of that.

With kindest personal regards,

Very truly yours,

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cc: Jeremy M. Ben-David & Co. Ltd.

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NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fee
- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Assignee Statement
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Oath or Declaration
- Request for Immediate Examination
- Small Entity Statement

Applicant's response filed 05/04/2000 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 06/30/2000 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - The declaration is not executed by all the inventors.

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5).

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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